### THE LOWNDES-MALSTER FIGHT

Report That a Dark Horse Will Be Led Out.

#### AN EXCITING RIVALRY

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

BALTIMORE, Md., August 7.-The head quarters of the republican state committee at the Carrollton were visited by a number of prominent republicans this morning, and the political situation in the state was thoroughly discussed. All the republican leaders are confident that the nominee of their party for governor will be elected by a substantial majority next November, and the cheerful aspect of the foremost men of the party since the nomination of Mr. John E. Hurst by the democrats agree with their

sanguine expressions. The republicans fully appreciate the dissensions and discord in the democratic party, and they believe that if ever an opportunity of winning a campaign has bee presented to them it is the present, and they are prepared to work for their ticket with a zest that has not been shown in the with a zest that has not been shown in the well-known republicans who visited the headquarters this morning were the following: Congressmen Geo. Wellington, Chas. E. Coffin and Wm. B. Baker; excongressmen Sydney E. Mudd and Henry Stockbridge, jr., Messrs. John W. Belt of Prince George's, Arthur Stabler of Montgomery, ex-Collector Wm. Marine and others.

As the time for the republican convention, which will be held at Cambridge a week from tomorrow, approaches the conflict between the Lowndes and Malster factions grows more and more intense, and a lively struggle between the two wings of the party may be looked for when the time for the convening of the delegates arrives. The the convening of the delegates arrives. The adherents of both aspirants for the nomination are loud in their claims of certain success for their respective leaders, and both factions come out in print with tables of votes which they assert prove conclusively that the nomination is bound to go in their particular direction.

The result of the primaries in Baltimore city is being awaited by both sides with considerable anxiety, as it will go a long way toward indicating the outcome of the Cambridge convention. The closeness of the Lowndes-Malster fight has led to considerable talk of a compromise candidate,

the Lowndes-Malster fight has led to considerable talk of a compromise candidate, and it was reported this morning that a caucus was held at the Carrollton last evening, at which the name of Judge Edward Stake of Washington county was brought forward as a leader who could unite the Farty in case it should be decided that the bitterness of the Lowndes-Malster struggle would make the nomination of either unpolitic.

either unpolitic.
Notwithstanding the excitement induced Notwithstanding the excitement induced by the rivalry, the republicans throughout the state are inspired with a hope of success such as they have not felt for years, and the leaders of the party declare that when the convention names a man for governor the nominee will receive the enthusiastic support of all republicans regardless of whatever preference they may have held for defeated aspirants for the nomination.

nomination.

The kicking among the democrats against the Hurst nomination is worse today than

# ADDRESSED BY JUDGE PRYOR.

The Distinguished Jurist Speaks to the Virginia Bar Association. Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va. August 7 .- The second day's session of the Virginia State Bar Association opened this norning with a much larger attendance than yesterday. The principal feature of the day was the annual address of Judge Roger A. Pryor of New York, which lasted our and was a brilliant oratorical effort. Judge Prvor's remarks were greeted with round after round of applause.
The report of the committee on eleof officers was handed in and the of

for the ensuing year will be elected tonight.

A large number of ladies attended the sesthis morning. The session last night ness was transacted. Several papers on legal subjects were read. This morning the members were photographed for the rec-crds of the association.

### SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

Democrats at Rockville Nominate Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

ROCKVILLE, Md., August 7.-The democratic judicial convention to nominate a candidate for associate judge of the sixth judicial circuit, composed of Frederick and Montgomery counties, met here today. The name of James B. Henderson was presented to the convention by Thos. Anderson of Rockville in an appropriate speech, and Rockville in an appropriate speech, and the nomination was seconded by Mr. P. S. Pampel of Frederick. There was no op-position and the nomination was made by

### Sharon Heirs Organize.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 7.-The heirs of the Sharon estate are ready to dissolve the trust which was organized ten years ago, and which expires on September 1. The heirs have already organized, and are doing business under the new management. The interests controlled by the trust have been divided into two companies. One company, the Occidental Land and Improvement Company, will look offer company, the Occidental Land and Improvement Company, will look after the outside lands belonging to the estate. The other, the Sharon Estate Company, will manage the city properties. Both companies will be under the same manage-

#### To Free Ireland by Force.

NEW YORK, August 7.-The convention to consider the new movement for liberating Ireland oy force of arms will be held in Chicago in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association on September 24, 25 and 26. The Irish nationalists and the Ancient Order of Hibernians are agreed in regard to it, and the coming convention will be unquestionably, the Irish leaders say, the largest ever held in this country in connection with the Irish question. Not more than 1,200 delegates attended the big gest of former conventions, while 2,000 have already signified their intention of attending the coming gathering. These men are representatives of Irish societies in every section of the country. Chicago has been selected.

## Mrs. Gardiner Will Return.

NORWICH, Conn., August 7.-Mrs. Annie T. Gardiner, the missing Christian Endeavor delegate of Arcadia, Neb., who was found living as a domestic here in the family of Edward R. Lapierre, consented this morning to return home with J. W. Landers, her husband's friend, who found her. She stoutly maintained that she is

# Racing at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 7.-First race, five furlongs-Silk Gown, first; Waltzer, second; Del Demonio, third. Time, 1.04. Second race, four and one-half furlongs Perfidy, first; Miss Celestina, second; Amazement, third. Time, 57 1-4. Third race, one mile—Lord Nelson, first; Maurice, second; Nicolini, third. Time,

### Mrs. Talmage's Funeral.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 7.-The fuwife of the Rev. Dr. De Witt Talmage took place this afternoon from the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church. Rev Dr. David Gregg, the pastor of the church. spoke in glowing terms of the life and character of the deceased. After the serv-

#### GEORGE F. ROOT DEAD.

The Noted Composer and Teacher CHICAGO, August 7.-George F. Root the noted composer, died at Bailey's Island, Me., yesterday at 2 o'clock. His death was

George Frederick Root was born at Sheffield, Berkshire county, Mass., August 30, 1820. While working on his father's farm he found opportunity to learn unaided to play several instruments, and in his eighteenth year he went to Boston, where he soon found employment as a teacher of music. From 1839 till 1844 he gave instruction in the public schools of the city and was also director of music in two churches.

churches.

He then went to New York and soon was occupied in teaching music at various edu-

occupied in teaching music at various edu-cational institutions.

In 1850 he went to Parls, where he spent a year in study. After his return he pub-lished in 1853 his first song, "Hazel Dell," which became very popular. It appeared as the work of "Wurzel," the German equivalent of his family name, and the same pen name appeared on many of his later places. Many of the numerous songs that Dr. Root wrote have achieved a national popu-

larity.

He was the originator of the normal musical institutes, and when the first one was held at New York, in 1852, he was one of the faculty. Since 1860 he resided in Chicago, where, in 1872, the degree of doctor of music was conferred on him by the university of that city.

By his compositions and his work as a teacher he did much toward elevating the standard of music in this country. Besides his numerous songs he composed much sacred music and published many collections of vocal and instrumental music.

#### MARQUETTE'S MEMORY.

It is Honored by Many Citizens of Michigan, ST. VIGNACE, Mich., August 7.-Father Marquette's memory was honored here today by many citizens of Michigan in a celebraticn in recognition of the missionary exporer's services to humanity and the country. The celebration was also designed to be the initiatory movement for raising money for a suitable monument to be erected over Father Marquette's grave in this city. The town is full of strangers today and its buildings are universally dec-

orated.

The parade this afternoon proceeded to the tent on the bluff adjacent to the missionary's grave. Among the speakers were Gov. Rich, Wm. M. Springer of Illinois, T. A. E. Weadcck of Bay City, Don M. Dickinson and local citizens.

#### TAILORS HAVE WON.

Successful Fight for Better Wages and Conditions. NEW YORK, August 7.-The coat tailors' strike is gradually nearing an end. The Brotherhood of Tailors has won the fight

for better wages and conditions. The brotherhood would not permit the employed its members, to sign the agree ment. Some of the sweaters have rented new shops, signed the agreement and gone to work in a regular way. At last advices thirty-four sweaters were

Leader Meyer Schoenfeldt said this morning that 1,500 tailors are still on strike in this city and nearly as many more in Brooklyn and Brownsville.

#### SIR JULIAN'S TRANSFER.

Nothing Known About It at the British Foreign Office.

LONDON, August 7.-A representative of the Associated Press was informed at the foreign office today that nothing was known there of the report that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador at Washington, was to be transferred to Ber-lin in succession to Sir Edward Malet, the British ambassador at that city, who, according to report, contemplates resigning his post.

#### Winners at Cowes

COWES, August 7.-In the cruiser race today Zampa was the winner. The times of the yachts competing for the £200 cup were: Zampa, 2h.56m.55s; Amphitrite, 3h.10m.4s.; Cetonia, 3h.19m.20s.
Britannia won the race for the big cutters. The following were the times at the finish: Britannia, 2h. 30m. 5s.; Allsa, 2h. 46m. 28s. The race for the 20-raters was stopped at the end of the first round. The following were the times of these yachts; Audrey, 1h. 50m. 20s.; Niagara, 1h. 51m. 47s.; Isolde, 1h. 52m. 52s.; Stephanie, 1h. 54m. 50s.; Luna 1h. 55m. 10s. Inyoni withdrew from the race, and did not finish the first round. today Zampa was the winner. The times

CHICAGO, August 7.-In attempting to steal a coat from a dummy in front of Simon Fisher's clothing store last night, John A. Heart, alias William Hughes, colored, shot and seriously wounded the proprietor of the store and probably fatally wounded Policeman Alexander M. Cameron, who tried to arrest him: Heart then ran. Policeman Cameron fired three shots after him, striking him in both legs. Heart, after running half a block, was captured by other policemen, attracted to the scene of the shooting. The shooting occurred in the huntress district and as there were hunbusiness district and, as there were hun-dreds of people on the street, created great

Colorado City's Alleged Shortage. DENVER, August 7.-Gustav Krause, an expert accountant, who has been examining the books of the city of Highlands, reported last night a deficiency of \$73,000 Some of the officials objected to his methods of figuring. Ex-Alderman Kooken referred slurringly to Krause's ancestry, and Krause struck him. Krause was arrested for carrying a revolver.

Left the National Association SAN FRANCISCO, August 7 .-- The state board of dental examination in session in this city have by unanimous vote with drawn from the National Dental Association of dental examiners. The reason given for the action is that the rational association recognizes dental institutions of in-struction with which the California body

Will Consider Willard's Protest. NEWPORT, R. I., August 7.-The re gatta committee has decided to hold a meeting and formally consider Mr. Willard's letter of protest, and take such action upon it as may be deemed necessary. It is hoped an arrangement of the difficulties may be arrived at which will allow racing between Defender and Vigilant to be resumed.

### The Foresters' Trial.

BRIGHTON, England, August 7.-The High Court of Foresters has granted O'Neill's application for permission to use the elaborate ritual in the United States. as the future success of the order in America depends upon it.

### Fatal Result of a Debauch.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, August 7.-A special from Whitesburg, Ky., says news reached there from Bigston's Gap, Va., of the burning of Ell Hix and four children. Hix had come home drunk and built a fire in the come home drunk and built a fire in the kitchen, which in some way set the house on fire in the night. Mrs. Hix rescued one of her five children. Hix was fatally

### Twigg's Assailant Caught.

Special Dispatch to The Evering Star. CUMBERLAND, .Md., August 7 .- Wm. Hartley, who shot and probably fatally wounded Peter Twigg near Green Spring wounded Peter Twigg near Green Spring Run yesterday and who took to the moun-tains, was captured by Sheriff King of this city this morning and is now lodged in jail. Hartley and George Twigg, a brother of the wounded man, engaged in a fight sev-eral days ago. Peter interfered and Hart-ley waited in amoush and emptied the con-texts of a shoterun into him ley waited in amoush and entents of a shotgun into him

The President's Fishing Trip. FALMOUTH, Mass., August 7.-President train this morning from Buzzard's Rav He was dressed for a fishing trip, and upon his arrival was joined by Secretary Olney and party, and all proceeded to Long Pond for a day's fishing.

# OUR SHADY STREETS

The Parking Superintendent Makes His Annual Report.

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More Money is Necessary to Do the Work Properly.

TIMELY SUGGESTIONS

The annual report of Mr. Truman Lanham, superintendent of parking, to the parking commission, was transmitted by the latter body to the District Commission ers today. The report shows that 1,640 trees were planted on the streets during the year, the larger portion of which was done in the eastern section of the city. This was an increase of 950 over the number planted last year.

About 7,000 seedlings were set out in the nursery, namely: Oriental planes, caks, elms, ginckos, lindens, poplars, Norway, sugar and silver maples. These are in excellent condition, with the exception of those which were removed from the ground taken for the smallpox hospital; the removal of which checked their growth con siderably. There is an abundant supply of trees in the nursery of the proper size for planting on the streets, a number of which will have become overgrown if not used in the near future.

Trimming the Trees In addition to trimming individual trees and rows of trees in various places which needed special attention, this branch of the work was resumed where it was stopped the previous year. M street north west at Connecticut avenue, and all that part of the northwest section north of M street, was taken systematically and the trees trimmed Northeast Washington between East Capitol and C streets, inclusive, was also taken, thus leaving the larger portion of the northeast, all of the southeast and southwest sections to be gone over in order to finish the work to the place where it was begun two years ago, on North B street. If this latter named point can be reached during the year 1896, it will have taken three years for the trees of the city to be trimmed in this way.

The first trees planted by the parking commission are getting large and need attention yearly, in the way of trimming and removing the dead wood, also paving around the tree spaces. Unless the appropriations are increased in proportion to the number of trees, it will be impossible to keep the trees in good condition.

More Money Needed. tween East Capitol and C streets, inclus

More Money Needed.

The entire number of trees should receive some attention yearly, which is impossible with the limited annual appropriations. With an appropriation of \$15,000 and 75,000 trees, only twenty cents could be expended on each tree, which would not trim them and keep the ground around their roots in good condition, to say nothing of the removal of trees, the planting of more trees, paying and purchasing of lumber for boxes, stakes and wire netting, all costly and absolutely necessary items for the

The usual care was bestowed upon the cultivation of young trees, which was very necessary on account of the dry weather at the beginning of the year.

Trees That Should Be Removed. "There are a number of trees which crowd each other at the corners of interecting streets, and others which stand so close to street lamps as to seriously interfere with the dissemination of light these could well be spared, and I think should be removed as soon as possible," suggests Mr. Lanham. "In this connection I would recommend the removal of every box elder tree from the streets and the replacing of them by a different variety of trees. Those on L. N and S streets northwest should be removed first, as they are the most inferior of their kind, and a sufficient amount of money has been spent upon them in the last eight or ten years in clearing them of caterpillars alone to have replaced them. They are also very unsatisfactory to people who reside on the streets where they are planted, as they are annually infested with worms."

Five thousand two hundrel and seventy-six trees were wired. All the trees in the northwest section of the sity between North Capitol and 18th streets are row protected, except those in unexposed these could well be spared, and I think row protected, except those in unexposed places and some box elders, which were not considered worth the lost. There are yet many thousands of trees which require this wire protection. These trees have cost money to bring them to their present condition, and unless protected, are liable to great damage, if not destruction. It is suggested that if \$5,000 could be obtained for this purpose, with the reduced price of wire netting, a very large portion of the trees now unwired could be placed out of danger. Eighteen hundred new tree boxes were made and used.

### Caterpillars and Beetles.

Caterpillars appeared on the trees in large numbers, but have been removed without leaving any visible trace except on some of the most inferior negundos. These pests usually appear during the month of lune, at a time when the funds of the parking commission are about exhausted. Several times have they done considerable damage before they could be successfully attacked, for want of money. The elm beetles frequently attack the elm trees during the month of May, and, while they disfigure the foliage for a time, do no lasting damage.

The two last named matters occurring at a time so near the end of the year, and from the fact that it cannot be definitely told whether or not they will appear, it is not considered wise to defer the expenditure of so large a sum as would be required for their destruction, on account of the uncertainty of their appearance, and the money is always needed for other purposes at the end of the year. As a remedy for these, and the removal of broken limbs, blown down trees, &c., the result of storms, which are liable to occur at any time, it is recommended that a sum of \$5,500 be azked, to be appropriated as an emergency fund for the parking commission, to be used only for these purposes, if required.

Some Interesting Figures. amage. The two last named matters occurring at

Some Interesting Figures. The report for the year 1894 showed the number of trees on the streets to be 74,063; planted during the year, 1,640; number of

rees removed, 580; number of trees now on streets, 75,123. Number of trees wired at close of 1894, Number of trees wired at close of 1894, 26,463; wired during the year, 5,276; total number wired, 31,739.

The appropriation for 1895 was \$15,000. There was expended for labor, supervision of work, cart hire, &c., \$12,469,95; and for purchase of materials, repairs to tools, &c., \$2,585.07, making a total of \$14,996, and leaving a balance unexpended of \$4.

Four forcmen were temporarily employed during the year at \$2.50 per day each. The average each man received from the ap-

average each man received from the appropriation for parking commission was \$423.39, total \$1,693.55. They also received \$123.39, total \$1,683.55. They also received \$31.87 from the appropriation for 18th street extra.ded, \$30 from the appropriation for Smallpox Hospital, \$17.50 from the appropriation for improving E street southeast and \$15 for appropriation for assessment and permit work, New York avenue between 9th and 10th streets. The foremen perform manual labor themselves when the gangs do not require all their time in supervision. These-men have been in the employ of the parking commission from sixteen to twenty-three years, and have become familiar with the work in all

#### have become familiar with the work in all -Estimates for Next Year.

The estimates for 1807 are for the purchase of wire and wiring of trees, \$5,000; for the destruction of insects and the repairs of damage by storms, \$3,500; for trimming and general care of trees on streets and parkings, \$12,000; planting of trees bn streets and work at nursery, \$6,000; repairs to tools, lumber for boxes, tree stakes, tree straps, nails, the purchase of tools, etc., \$3,500; and to commence the work of improving the thirty-six reservations under control of the Commissioners, \$10,000; making a total of \$40,000

How Trees Enhance Property Values The estimates furnished are absolutely necessary for the proper conduct of the work in hand, and are the same as submitted last year, except the sum of \$3,500 MR. GORMAN'S SIDE additional as an emergency fund, to be used by the parking commission only for

BREASTING THE BREAKERS.

This resort is in the midweek of its sea-

son, and the time is a lively one, consider ng the drawbacks from outside. There

has been much entertainment in the past

week, which has bordered on musical pro-

Last Saturday evening's testimonial to

Simon Hassler at the Stockton was the

most largely attended affair of the season.

The program preceding the hop was ex

Russell, who recited from John Boyle

O'Reilly and other laughable selections.

Madame Emma Suelka and Mile. Alida
Varena sang nicely some difficult pieces,
and Simon Hassler gave a solo on his
violin.

A large number of Washington action folks took part in the Delsarte entertainmen on Monday evening for the benefit of the Baptist Church. The audience filled the room, and standing room was difficult

The next event of the season will take place on Friday evening, when a testimonial will be tendered Professor D. T. Morgan at Congress Hall, where he is director of the orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Beidler and Miss Edith

Mr. and Mrs. Beidler and Miss Edith Beidler are staying here. Miss Blanche Tomlinson and her aunt, Miss Tomlinson, were prominent workers in the entertainment given Monday evening for the benefit of the local Baptist Church. Capt. C. T. Wilson, U. S. A., and J. C. Wilson are enjoying life at a Perry street cottage.

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J. F. Kaighn, J. W. Bennett, C.T. Walker, Dr. J. C. McConnell, Miss Bessie McCon-nell, Miss Ina S. Leibhart and Frank Mc-Connell make up a party of Washington visitors who came Saturday. Mrs. M. A. Wallace is summering at Cape

May Point.

Maj. T. W. Howard and daughter, Miss

cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Clifford, accompanied by Mrs. Lelia Buell, a granddaughter of Judge Lawrence of Ohio, are guests at the Carroll Villa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Warren and Miss Anna G. Warren are among Washington guests at the Lafayette for the summer.

T. Clark and T. Sullivan are stopping at

Mrs. E. Hutchinson is solourning at the

Elair Lee is among Marine Villa guests. Mrs. P. J. Lachmeyer and Miss Van Hook are among the Washipgton colony at the Star Villa.

Mrs. D. P. Bowers, the actress, will visit her daughter, Mrs. Bennett of Washing-ton, here during the next two weeks at

J. S. Lawrence, is stopping at Congress

Miss M. Smith is staying at the Star

Villa.

M. Macias is at Congress Hall for the

summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wilson are passing their spare time at the Baltimore Inn. Mrs. Wilson is convalescent from a severe

C. A. Stone has joined the Washington colony at the Baltimore Inn.
P. C. Hawn, auditor of the Richmond and Danville railroad, is a prominent Congress Hall visitor.

PROMPT PUSISHMENT DEMANDED.

Resolutions Adopted at a Hong Kong

LONDON, Adgist 7.-Mr. Robinson tele-

graphs from Hong Kong that a public meeting has been held there, and that

resolutions were passed demanding the prompt punishment of those engaged in the

massacre at Ku Cheng, and requesting

that the Chinese government give guaran-

tees for the protection of the lives and

H. M. S. Linnot, a second-class twin

screw gunboat, has arrived at Foo Chow.

Archdeacon Wolfe cables from Foo Chow

saying that the Chinese soldiers sent to protect the mission at Ku Cheng broke into and plundered it. He adds that no reliance can be placed upon Chinese authorities.

News has been received that the Empara-

News has been received that the Emper-or of China has agreed to the demands made by Lord Salisbury, through Mr. O'Connor, the British minister at Pekin, and that an imperial proclamation has been issued ordering the capital punishment of the murderers. A military escort has also been ordered to protect the British consul-at Kn Cheng during his inquiry into the outrages.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, August 7.-M. I. Moo

ney of St. Mary's, Ohio, said to be general

Company, was held up last evening by five

tramps at Upper Sandusky, being the sole occupant of a chair car on the C. H. V. and T. railroad, the other passengers be-ing at supper. The amount taken is not

Extra Jurors to Be Sworn.

SAN FRANCISCO August 7-District

Attorney Barnes announces that for the

purpose of avoiding delays that might

arise from the sickness or death of jurors,

fourteen jurors will be empaneled to try

Durrant. The attorneys on both sides have

agreed to this action, from the fact that the trial is expected to last several months. The two extra jurors will attend the ses-sion of the court regularly the same as the other jurors, but will not take part in formulating a verdict unless called upon to

Fumily Poisoned by Ice Cream.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., August 7.-Private

advices received here by Mrs. B. W. S.

Burton say her father's entire family, consisting of E. H. Lover, wife, two daugh

ters and one son and family cook, living at Raleigh, N. C., have been poisoned by eat-ing ice cream. All are confined to beds, but are believed to be out of danger.

Resuming Work.

CALUMET, Mich., August 7.-Men were

put at work this morning clearing up at Armold preparatory to resuming work on

a large scale. The mill will be strongly

worked as soon as it can be put in shape for active producing. It is quite probable that consolidation may be effected between Arnold and the Copper Falls mine, which also started up this week after several

The Great Buffalo Match.

BUFFALO, N. Y., August 7.-The race

between Robett Al and Joe Patchen is not

likely to take place today on account of

A Chinese Minister Dismissed.

(Chinese foreign office), has been dismissed, owing chiefly to the part which he took in the negotiations for the Russian loan, and in the convention recently arrived at between China and France, by which the latter country was granted great concessions.

A Chattanooga Scandal.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., August 7.-In

chancery court today Mrs. Henrietta Brown,

wife of J. J. Brown, a leading city official and business man, filed a sensational suit

for divorce in which the most serious

charges of adultery and other misconduct

Special Dispatch to The Evering Star.

PEKIN, China, August 7.-Hsu Yung Yi, the chief minister of the Tsung Li Yemen

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

vears' idleness.

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property of foreigners.

Congress Hall.

The principal star was Sol Smith

see of The Evening Star.

CAPE MAY, August 6, 1895.

the removal of storm-wreckage from streets and the repairs rendered necessary by same should they occur, also for the destruction of insects of various kinds which attack the trees. One of His Friends Tells Why He Changed His Plans. the trees.

It is generally admitted that the trees here have endanced the value of property in the last decade fully 20 per cent, and the 75,000 trees new on the streets cannot be properly cared for and the tree planting extended if the appropriations are not increased.

FORCED TO FIGHT BY THE REFORMERS

Thinks the Disaffected Will Fall Increasing Theorems Enjoying the Many Delights of Cape May. Into Lina.

EFFECT OF DEFEAT

An interesting chapter of the Maryland story, containing Mr. Gorman's side of it, was given to a representative of The Star today by a well-informed friend of Senator. Said this gentleman:

"The so-called reform democrats of Maryland never showed less capacity for politics than during the recent campaign over there. Their mistakes were innumerable, and some of them almost incredibly ludicrous. Their very first move was a mistake. They are complaining that Mr. Gorman dominated absolutely the Baltimore convention. If that is true they are themselves responsible for his presence in townfor his presence in the country even at this time. He had made all arrangements last winter to go abroad for a long rest. He had been working very hard and wanted to get away for awhile from the storm and stress of things. He could see what was scress of things. He could see what was coming at home—that the democratic primaries would be hotly contested and that his warmest friends would here and there he arrayed against each other. He didn't want to take any part in this. His purpose was to go to Europe, femain until the ticket had been nominated and then come home and help elect it.

#### The Reform Press Opened on Him.

"As soon," however, as this purpose was announced the reform press opened on him. He was taunted with cowardice. It was charged that he was running away; that he had seen the handwriting on the wall, and all that solemn sort of stuff. The Senator was amused, but at the same time instructed by these attacks. The charges made were very far from the truth. Mr. Gorman is neither a coward nor a quitter, but he could see that there might be danger in the constant repetition of such accusations, and so he abandoned might be danger in the constant repetition of such accusations, and so he abandoned the proposed journey and remained at home. The result you know. But this is a sample of the inability of the reform squad to play politics against an old campaigner like Mr. Gorman. They don't even know how to use a good card when they find one in their hands. If they had walted until the Senator had had time to put the sea between him and home they might have done him some damage. But, eager as boys and very like boys in all they do, they must rush out prematurely with their plans and proclamations and give themselves completely away. Mr. Gorman caught on in a second's time, and he had their whole game blocked in a week."

#### The Attack on Raisin. "What are the grounds for the assault

on Raisin?" was asked. "Only the fact that the reformers them selves failed to connect with Raisin Raisin's importance in the struggle was so apparent that even they could see it. They tried hard to get him. Every effort was made to secure his co-operation, and at one time they flattered themselves they were succeeding. But this was another of their delusions. Raisin has always been a friend of Mr. Gorman's. They have had their differences, and sometimes the controversies between them have been pretty spirited. But I don't suppose that Raisin ever in his life seriously considered allying himself with the men who have abused him quite as much as they have Mr. Gorman. Raisin is not the sort of man for kindergarten work. He doesn't 'go' much on beginners or blunderers. A veteran himself, and an expert, and accustomed to wia, he prefers the company of experts and winners. Raisin, you may depend upon it, will stand by Mr. Gorman until the last note is counted." Raisin's importance in the struggle was so

#### "What about the result in November?" Confident of Victory.

"I have no fears about that myself. I am willing to concede that we shall have our hands full. The kicking is vigorous in spots. But that will cease in a very great good men, under the spur of keen disappointment, proclaim purposes they are afterward glad to abandon and are anxious terward glad to abandon and are anxious to have forgiven. We have nothing to fear from those men who went into the convention in good faith and lost. They are all democrats, and will prove it at the polls. As for the so-called reformers, they are not numerous, and even if they were to cut loose to a man, could not defeat us. But not all of them will cut loose. Even those fellows have lucid intervals, and when the pinch comes can distinguish between a republican and a straight democratic ticket." "What would be the effect next year on Mr. Gorman's fortunes if he should lose his ticket at home this year?"

### Effect of Defeat.

"I think I can speak with certainty as to one thing. Defeat this year would not impair his prestige with the party organization at home. Everything that has been done has the stamp of regularity on it. The ticket, the platform, the committees chosen, all are democratic. Mr. Gorman stands for them, and in doing so stands for the party. The man who repudiates him at the polls repudiates the party."

#### Habeas Corpus Decision. The long expected decision in the habes corpus proceedings of the Eckington rail-

road, in its fight against the Commission ers for endeavoring to enforce the law against illegal overhead wires, will be de-livered by Judge Cole of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia tomorrow morn-ing at 10 o'clock. Just what Judge Cole will hold is, of course, a matter of con-jecture; but the trolley people are very nervous over the outcome

Habens Corpus Case. Attorney Andrew Lipscomb this after-

noon made application to Judge Cole for writ of habeas corpus in the case of John Dugan, arrested recently by Humane Offi cer Rabbit for overdriving a horse belong-ing to the defendant at Brightwood. It is claimed that the law under which the ar-rest was made is invalid. The matter will be argued Wednesday next, Mr. Dugan being released on his personal recogniz-

### The Chinese Puzzle.

Tomorrow the Chinese perjury cases wil he tried in the Police Court, and Ah Sing and Sue Gow, the cut-rate laundrymen, will then know whether they are to remain in tail until the judges of the upper courts re turn from their vacations and resume business, or whether they will return to the "Chinatown" laundry and resume business at the cut prices. Lawyers Hugh M. Sterling and William E. Aughinbaugh have looked after the interests of these Chinamen, while Col. Cook and Carroll W. Smith are looking out for the opposition. This matter does not involve trouble between races as does the bloody affair now being investigated at Hong Kong, but is confined to the Chinese colony.

Counsel for the cut-rate Chinamen make

out a strong case against the prosecution of Ah Sing, who, they say, is a much

#### Can Find No Indians. A dispatch received at the War Department from Gen. Coppinger at Jackson's Hole says that the Indian scouts are still out and can find no Indians, and that all is

charges of adultery and other misconduct were made. The complainant alleges that the defendant made her jump out of a window to escape assault. The defendant has been a member of the board of education and is now alderman from the sixth werd. He has amassed considerable property and is considered wealthy. The charges were a surprise to the people. He has been married twenty-two years and has six children. To Set Aside Rule. Edward L. Dent late this afternoon filed bill in equity against Mahlon Ashford and others to set aside the sale of the Dent iron works, located at 33d and Wa-ter streets northwest, and sold at auction July 10 last under a deed of trust.

SAVING MONEY.

Fitting Out Physicians to the Poor One of the largest special items of expense in the District government heretofore has been the cost of drugs for the poor. Several times within the past year the physicians to the poor have been directed to be more conservative in prescribing for the reason that the fund for this work was low. Health Officer Woodward has hit upon a plan which will materially reduce the cost of prescriptions and at th

same time answer every requirement. He has decided to fit out each physician same time answer every requirement.

He has decided to fit out each physician to the poor with a pocket case, containing triturates of the drugs most commonly employed in minor disorders. He figures a large saving by this method. As an example, he cites the cost of compound cathartic pills, which he buys in bulk at 60 cents per thousand. To write 125 prescriptions containing 8 pills each the druggist who compounds for the poor charges \$18.75. In this one item alone the District would save \$18.15. There are any number of examples cited by Dr. Woodward, which show conclusively that the District will be benefited by the change.

Each one of the new pocket cases is neatly finished in black leather, with compartments for a dozen bottles of triturate. Another thing advantageous about the new scheme is that the physician can administer the medicine at once and lose no time in having a prescription compounded.

### PHYSICIANS TO THE POOR.

They Will in Future Have to Pass an

Directly in line with their intention to apply civil service to the District govern ment as far as possible, the Commissioners today approved a recommendation of the health officer, which takes in the physicians to the poor, and compels applicants for such positions to pass a competitive

There is perhaps no position so eagerly sought as that of physician to the poor. Young graduates, as soon as leaving col-lege, get the indorsement of prominent business men and apply for these positions. While they are capable, as far as technical While they are capable, as far as technical knowledge is concerned, they have been for the most part totally deficient in hospital experience, and the poor people of the District have been subjected to unscientific treatment. The position of physician to the poor affords an excellent opportunity for the young practitioner to acquire the art of prescription writing, and if he be bright and energetic to lay the foundation

of a practice.

Health Officer Woodward's recommenda-tion, which has been approved by the Com-missioners and issued today as an order, That the heard to examine practitioners

"That the board to examine practitioners of regular medicine seeking appointment as physicians to the poor be composed of the attending physician to the Washington Asylum, the medical sanitary inspector of the health department, one member of the board of pharmacy and one member of the board of police surgeons. The questions should be prepared and answers examined and marked by this board. The examination itself should be conducted by clerks from the health department. Candidates passing successfully the written examination should be required, as a practical test of their ability, to examine and to diagnose and outline proposed treatment for one or more patients at some public hospital or dispensary.

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"The only homeopathic physicians in the employ of the District are those in the very class for which it is proposed to hold an examination. It is therefore impossible to constitute a suitable board of homeopathic examiners, and I recommend that candidates of this class for the present be applicated without examination."

dates of this class for the present be appointed without examination."

This action was evidently taken in view
of the fact that within a short time a number of vacancies will exist in these positions. The incumbents were appointed for
three years and their term of service is
nearly completed.

#### TWO FATAL EXPLOSIONS.

Richmond Confectioner Killed by RICHMOND, Va., August 7.-Peter Mar chetti, who conducts a confectionery on afternoon by an overcharged gas genera-

tor, used in the soda water fountain, and

died in twenty minutes. His brother was

also slightly injured. BALTIMORE, Md., August 7.—Stephen Scofield, colored, was scalded to death this morning by the explosion of a boiler at the Tyson chrome works. He was working around the boiler when the top blew out and his body was completely covered by the escaping stem.

### MR. WILLARD'S PROTEST.

Committee. NEWPORT. R. I. August 7. The regatta committee has decided to hold a meeting this afternoon and formally consider Mr. Willard's letter and take such action upon it as may be deemed necessary. When an Associated Press reporter sary. When an Associated Press reporter saw ex-Commodore S. Nicholson Kane aboard the flagship Sylvia, the chairman of the regatta committee was not inclined to say anything definite about what had been done. When asked if the committee had heard from or communicated with Mr. Iselin he replied: "We are arranging all that."

His manner indicated that some sort of His manner indicated that some sort of a truce was hoped for and might yet be patched up. The reporter asked him if in case Mr. Willard adhered to his determina-tion to withdraw the trial races would be held, but he said he was unable to answer that question.
"Mr. Willard said last night." said the

"Mr. Willard said last night," said the reporter, "that he was willing to place the Vigilant in the hands of the committee to do what they plensed with her. Will the committee probably accept that offer if Mr. Willard actually pulls out?"

"I don't know," replied Mr. Kane, "but it may be that a new sailing master and so forth would be found for her under those circumstances."

Mr. Willard and Mr. Iselin both 12:fused to speak on the subject today.

#### The first race at St. Asaph today was won by Paymaster (Zeller) even: Kenneth one), 6 to 1, second; Tanglefoot (Brew-

(Manone), 6 to 1, second; Tangletoot (Brew-er)) 10 to 1, third. Time, 1.26.

Although the card presented by the Vir-ginia Jockey Club today was a light one in the way of entries, it contained enough evenly matched horses to make the day's sport interesting. The track was in fine shape. Weather clear and warm; attendance good. Seven books were on

### For an Injunction.

Henry Schneider this afternoon filed a bill in equity for an injunction against Thomas Ruppert, to restrain the latter from taking possession of a dwelling house and stable on lot 12, square 403, until full payment is made by him of the amount claimed to be due under a certain contract.

Frederick S. Duncan of New York has been appointed receiver for the Evans Mining Company of Beaver Meadow, Pa. The failure is attributed to the unsettled condition of the coal market. Grain and Cotton Markets.

Cotton and grain markets, reported by W. I Hibbs, stock, grain and cotton broker, 1421 F st. GRAIN. GRAIN.
Open. High. Low. Close.
67% 67% 68% 67%
64% 70% 69% 70%
40% 40% 39% 39% 39%
33 33 32% 32%
20% 20% 20% 20%
9.20 9.52 9.15 9.52
5.92 6.02 5.92 6.02
5.50 5.57 6.50 5.57
COTTON.
Open. High. Low. Close.

TTON.
Open. High. Low. Close.
7.02 7.02 6.99 7.00
7.03 7.03 7.00 7.01
7.08 7.08 7.05 7.05
7.10 7.12 7.09 7.09 Baltimore Markets.

BALTIMORE, August 7.—Flour quiet, unchanged—receipts, 9,453 barrels. Wheat steady—spot and month, 603694; September, 603637094; December, 73a.734; steamer No. 2 red, 603654—receipts, 41,584 bushels; stock, 746,706 bushels; sales, 174,006 584 bushels; stock, 746,706 bushels; sales, 174,000 bushels; southern wheat by sample, 70a71½; do. on grade, 67½a70½. Corn dull and lower-spot, 46½a 47; month, 46½ asked; September, 45½a45½; year, 38½ asked; January, 37½a83,-receipts, 10,631 bushels; stock, 70,017 bushels; sales, 18,000 bushels; southern white corn, 49; do. yellow, 50a51. Oats guider and steady—No. 2 white western, 30a30½; No. 2 mixed, 29 asked—receipts, 2,651 bushels; stock, 11,4334 bushels. Hay easier—choice timothy, \$16.00a316.50. Grain freights steady, unchanged. Sugar firm, unchanged. Butter and eggs steady, unchanged. Cheese firm, unchanged.

# FINANCE AND TRADE

Rumors of Heavy Prospective Gold Shipments

CONDUCIVE TO LOWER

Bull Campaign in Chicago Gas

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS

NEW YORK, August 7.-London prices came 1-8a3-8 lower this morning, but its operations cut no figure in this market, the only orders received being confined to the sale of a few hundred shares in Louisville and Nashville and Atchiscn. The local sentiment reflected the vreasy and feverish feeling of yesterday afternoon, which was intensified by 'umors of further heavy engagements of gold for shipment tomorrow, and these rumors were partly borne out by the early announcement that another large coffee importing house would ship one million gold per steamer Augusta Victoria tomorrow. It is of no use, so far as the street sentiment is concerned, to argue that the shipments of gold are made by remitters as a regular business operation; that recent shipments show a profit of 1-4 per

show no disposition to ship the precious metal. The cold fact that gold does go ou creates anything but enthusiagm or a bull ish feeling on the stock market. ish feeling on the stock market.

There was no change in the character of the trading, except, perhaps, a more pronounced desire by a few speculative holders of stocks to liquidate their holdings, especially in Sugar and Chicago Gas. The former sold down 1 per cent during the first hour. There was no news to account for the selling, which was credited to Well, who was quite active in all departments in his efforts to bring about a reaction.

Chicago Gas showed the effects of the elimination of the short interest, and was heavy, with every indication that the built campaign in it is over for the time being. There seemed to be a concerted effort to treak the price of the Grangers, but after the carly sales little impression could be made, and they became as dull and lifeless as on yesterday, though very steady at the decline.

General Electric was strong and compare.

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General Electric was strong and compara tively active on the report that the rival companies and the Baldwin works had come together. The buying was by brokers who usually act for the Benedicts, and points were freely circulated to buy the

who usually act for the Benedicts, and points were freely circulated to buy the stock.

The market for sterling and continental bills is strong at quotations unchanged from yesterday's rates. Cable transfers are being offered at 490%, indicating a selling of exchange to be covered by late gold shipments. The announcement of tomorrow's shipment was unexpected by treasury officials, and it is now expected that large exports of gold will be made by Saturday's steamer. Actual rates for sterling are: Cable transfers, 490%, 4390 3-4; by Saturday's steamer. Actual rates fo sterling are: Cable transfers, 490½4490 3-4 demand, 490 1-4a490 1-2; sixty days, 489 1-4

489 3-4.

The only feature of the last hour's trading was the efforts on the part of Sugar and the Grangers to cover their contracts put cut earlier in the day, closing prices being at unimportant changes from those of yesterday. In addition to the shipment of gold noted above Handy & Harmon will ship \$175,000 gold buillon by the same steamer. This gold comes from the smelters in the west.

#### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

The foll-wing are the opening, the highest and the lowest and the closing prices of the New York stock market today, as reported by Corson & Macartney, members New Yor's stock exchange. Correspondents Messrs. Moore & Schley, No. 80 Broadway.

| Messrs. Moore & Schley, No. 80 Broadway. | Stocks. | Open. High. Low. Last. | American Sugar. | 114½ | 114½ | 112½ | 114½ | American Tobacco. | 111½ | 111½ | 111 | 111½ | 111 | 111½ | 111 | 111½ | 111 | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 111½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 1 Chic., R. I. & Pacine..
Del., Lack. & W.....
Delaware & Hudson...
Den. & R. Grande, Pfd.
Dis. & Cattie Feeding..
General Electric...
\*Illinois Central.... Lake Shore ..... Louisville & Nashville... Long Island Traction... Metropolitan Traction... 100 60% 17 100 11436 101 87 Missouri Pacific....... National Lead Co...... National Lead Co., Pfd. U. S. Leather.... Lead Co., Pfd. 98 ther 15% iey Central 102% rthern Pacific, Pfd.. Northern Pacinc, Ffd.
North American...
Ont. & Western...
Pacific Mail...
Phila & Reading...
Pullman Pal. Car Co...
Southern Railway, Pfd. 

\*Ex-dividend, 2%. Washington Stock Exchange.

Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales—regular call—12 o'clock m.—Washington Gas, 55 at 50½. Chesspeake and Potomac Telephone, 14 at 59.

Government Bonds.—U. S. 4s, registered, 112 bid, 112½ asked. U. S. 4s, coupon, 112½ bid, 113 asked. U. S. 4s, 1925, 122½ bid. U. S. 5s, 1904, 115 bid.

District ofColumbia Bonds.—20-year fund 5s, 103 bid. 30-year fund 6s, gold, 112 bid. Water stock 7s, 1901, currency, 115 bid. Water stock 7s, 1901, currency, 115 bid. Water stock 7s, 1902, currency, 115 bid. Water stock 7s, 1904, currency, 115 bid. Water stock 7s, 1904, downward of the stock 7s, 1904, currency, 110 bid. 3,65s, funding, currency, 110 bid. 3,8s, registered, 2-10s, 190 bid. 175 asked. Washington and Georgetown Railroad conv. 6s, 2d, 150 bid. 175 asked. Metropolltan Railroad conv. 6s, 2d, 150 bid. 175 asked. Metropolltan Railroad conv. 6s, 2d, 150 bid. 110 asked. Belt Railroad 5s, 85 bid. 8s asked. Eckington Railroad 6s, 101 bid. 103 asked. Columbia Railroad 6s, 110 bid. 103 asked. Columbia Railroad 6s, 110 bid. 103 asked. Washington Gas Company 6s, series A, 113 bid. Washington Gas Company 12 bid. 25 bid. American Security and Trust 5s, A. and 0., 100 bid. Washington Market Company imp. 6s, 110 bid. Washing 103 bid, 105% asked. Lincoln, 100 bid. Ohio, 52 bid.
Safe Deposit and Trust Companies.—National Safe Deposit and Trust, 120 bid, 130 asked. Washington Loan and Trust, 122 bid, 125 asked. American Security and Trust, 138 bid, 122 asked.
Ra'lroad, Stocks.—Washington and Georgetowa, 277 bid. 300 asked. Metropolitan, 92 bid, 100 asked. Belt, 35 asked. Eckington, 20 bid, 35 asked.
Gas and Electric Light Stocks.—Washington Gas, 50% bid. Georgetown Gas, 50 bid. U. S. Electric Light, 132% bid.
Insurance Stocks.—Firemen's, 38 bid. Franklin, 40 bid. Metropolitan, 70 bid. Corcoran, 50 bid. Potomac, 68 bid. Arlington, 140 bid. German-American, 165 bid, 200 asked. National Union, 10 bid. Columbia, 13 bid. Riggs, 7% bid. People's, 5% bid, 50% asked. Lincoln, 8 bid, 8% asked. Commercial, 4% bid.

Potomac, 65 bid, 200 American, 165 bid, 200 American, 165 bid, 200 American, 165 bid, 200 American, 165 bid, 160 American, 165 Bid, 165 13 asked.
Telephone Stocks.—Chesapeake and Potomae, 55
bid. American Graphophone, 3 bid. Pneumatic
Gun Carriage, 20 bid, 30 asked.
Miscellaneous Stocks.—Washington Market, 14½
bid. Great Falls Ice, 130 bid, 140 asked. Bull
Run Panorama, 25 asked. Lincoln Hall, 70 bid.
Mergenthaler Linotype, 180 bid. Bank Receiver Appointed.

The controller of the currency has today appointed Louis K. Church receiver of the Puget Sound National Bank of Everett, Washington. The bank suspended payment July 17, 1805.